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19-YEAR-OLD BOYS RELEASED ON BOND

WILLIAM CURL AND FLOYD FOREMAN WAIVE PRELIMINARY

TRIAL IN SEPTEMBER

Initials on Suitcase Let to Solving of Bee Hive Shoe Store Robbery.

William Curl and Floyd Foreman, each 19 years old, were bound over yesterday afternoon to the September term of Circuit Court to be tried on charges of burglary and larceny for the robbery of the Bee Hive Shoe Store on the night of June 21. They waived preliminary hearing before Justice W. L. Johnson and were released from jail on bond of $500 each.

Curl's bond was signed by J. F. Montgomery and George B. Baker. Foremans' securities are his mother, Mrs. Gertrude Foreman, and George B. Baker.

Four small boys, poking about among the refuse on the public dump in the Robinson pasture southwest of town, revealed the clue Wednesday evening which led to the solving of the mystery that has surrounded the breaking of the shoe store a month ago. The clue was the suitcase in which part of the loot had been carried away from the store.

Foreman's failure to notice the initials "S. H. K." on the suitcase was the weak point in the boys carefully laid plans. It was these initials which enabled the officers to trace the robbery first to Foreman and then to Curl.

Foreman, the authorities stated, became afraid that he would be found with stolen goods in his possession. A few days ago he took the suitcase, containing several pairs of the stolen shoes and silk hose, carried it to the dump and left it there.

The suitcase was found by Oakley Wallace and several boy companions, who were searching the dump for small articles of doubtful value. Wallace telephoned W. A. Miller, proprietor of the Bee Hive store, when he discovered the shoes and hose in the suitcase. The latter was recognized by Mrs. F. S. King as the property of her son, Shane King, who had loaned it to Foreman.

Foreman confessed when confronted with the suitcase, according to the officers. His confession implicated Curl, who also confessed after more of the stolen property was fouhd in the alley in the rear of his home.

Foreman left town immediately after the robbery, going to Wyoming, where he sold three pairs of the shoes. Curl had made no effort to dispose of any of his share of the loot. Most of the hose recovered is so badly damaged as to be of little value.

The boys were held in the county jail Wednesday night and until their preliminary at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The officers refused to release the details of the arrest until after the hearing.

Both boys were members of the class which graduated from the High School in May. Foreman was president of the class, editor of the school annual and winner of more letters in atheltics than any student has ever won. Curl was employed in the shoe store on Saturdays.

Roxey Wilson of Guliford was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

MAYOR ROBINSON MAKES IT SNAPPY IN POLICE COURT

"Guilty or Not Guilty?" "Twenty and Costs, Pay the Marshall," Runs the Conversation.

"I'll make it light on you and fine you $20 and costs," said Mayor Robinson to Charles Marion Gross, taxi driver, who pleaded guilty this morning to a charge of speeding.

"Are you guilty or not", asked the Mayor.

"Guilty."

"Have you any excuse or reason?"

"No Sir."

"Twenty and costs. Pay Mr. Tilton."

WHITE STARS ARRANGE SCHEDULE FOR SEASON

Will Play Graham Next Sunday, Ravenwood July 31, and Bolckow August 7.

The Maryville White Stars are arranging a schedule for the rest of the summer. So far they have three games for the next three Sundays. They are with Graham, July 24; Ravenwood, July, 31; Bolckow August 7.

Moon the second baseman of the White Stars is suffering with a broken arm, and the line-up for Sunday will be changed and will read as follows: Mays, C; M. Still, p; Scott, ss; Gray, 1b; Woodard, 2b; C. Still, 3b; Keegan, lf; Miller, cf; Huff, rf.

BROTHER OF H. B. GLINES DIES AT HOME IN NEBRASKA

H. B. Glines living north of Maryville received word this morning of the death of his brother, A. J. Glines of Grand Island, Neb., which occurred at that place Tuesday evening. Burial services will be held at Grand Island. Mr. Glines formerly lived in the Clearmont community.

Mrs. Glines' death followed an operation which he had gone. He is survived by his wife, three sons, two brothers and three sisters.

THE REV. COOPER TO PREACH SERMONS OF LIFE'S FORCES

The Rev. J. A. Cooper, pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach the first of a series of sermons Sunday morning on some of the great forces of life. The first great force to be discussed will be "Fear" and the Rev. Cooper will use as his subject Sunday morning, "The Curse of Fear."

Sunday night his sermon subject will be "The Bearing of Burdens."

Here from Massachusetts.

Joseph F. Cook of Lowell, Mass., is visiting in Maryville with his brother, Henry Cook. Mr. Cook is a contractor in Massachusetts and says that business there is very dull. He is on a two months vacation and plans to visit all the interesting places of the West.

Electric Theatre

Last Time Tonight

MARY MILES MINTER in "DON'T CALL ME LITTLE GIRL."

Adapted from the play 'Jerry' by Catherine Chisholm Cushing. Also a two reel comedy, "Tough Luck." Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

Saturday, July 23.

EDDIE LYONS and LEE MORAN in "A SHOCKING NIGHT"

Also Hoot Gibson in 'Cinders.' A two reel western. Matinee at 2:30 and 4:10—11c and 22c. Night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

EMPIRE THEATRE, SATURDAY, 3 p. m.

Merchants' Matinee

The following merchants will give tickets free to their patrons:

Price Furniture Co., A. Stapler, Quality Market; D. Hotchkin, the School Supply Man; Bee Hive, Home of Good Shoes; Remus Merc. Co.; Farmers Trust Co.; Phares Lumber and Hardware Co.; Barmann Auto Co.; Thompson Bakery, Blue Ribbon Bread; Green Parrot Cafeteria.

MISSOURIANS LONG TO GET BACK HOME

C. J. COLDEN WRITES ABOUT PICNIC IN CALIFORNIA.

MANY FROM NODAWAY

At Big Gathering at Los Angeles Exiles From Show-Me State Talk Over Old Times.

Editor Democrat-Forum: These Missouri picnics are coming so fast I can scarcely keep step with them. Los Angeles held one Saturday that was rather an elaborate affair. There was a big parade, an historical pageant and other special features that brought out a hundred thousand Missourians more or less. It was a celebration in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of Missouri's admission as a state. Plans were launched also for the home coming at Sedalia. A special train will probably carry the homesick Missourians back to their native bluegrass pastures.

The most interesting part of the Los Angeles program was the debate as to which is the greater state, Missouri or California. An enthusiastic young orator represented each state. Th advocate of Missouri emphasized the varied productions of Missouri and quoted pages of statistics to show to the wandering Missourians that their home state not only leads California but leads the Union.

This orator placed special emphasis upon the splendid qualities of Missouri womanhood. He eulogized their homemaking ability and placed among their highest accomplishments their efficiency in making hot biscuits and sorghum molasses. Then the speaker passed some caustic comment upon the little short-skirted, harum-skarums of California that blondine and bob their hair and spend their time gadding around to movies and tea parties and feed their husband's on baker's bread and canned sardines when they are lucky enough to have some one blind enough to fall for them.

The speaker did not overlook the fact that California stands at the head of all the states in the Union in the production of beans. He seems to get a lot of fun out of this California achievement.

"Do you know why Kansas has droughts? Do you Missourians know why the Kansas corn burn up, dries up and blows away every summer?" he shouted. "It's because of the hot air of Southern California. There's so much boost and blow about Los Angeles that it rolls up in clouds and sweeps over the Rocky Mountains and ruins the Kansas crops." The applause was loud and prolonged.

The California advocate asked why there were so many Missourians in California and so few Californians in Missouri. "You could rake the whole state of Missouri with a fine tooth comb and not find a fraction as many Californians as are gathered in this park today," he declared. Then he enumerated statistics to prove that California is a greater state than Mis-

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FALL GOODS ARE CHEAPER SAYS HARVEY L. HAINES

Coming of Good Times is Forecast by Increased Industrial Activity in the East.

Harvey L. Haines, who returned this morning from New York, where he spent the last two weeks buying drygoods and ready-to-wear apparel, brings back the good news that goods that are on the market now are much cheaper than they were last year at this time.

Although the goods are cheaper now than they were this time last year it was the opinion of Mr. Haines that the bottom had been reached so far as prices were concerned and that because of the high cost of production, caused by the use of high priced labor, the price of goods will remain about where they are now.

Mr. Haines is very optimistic over the conditions which he found in the East. He is confident that a wave of prosperity will soon overtake us. Mills in New York which have been closed eight and nine months are being reopened and many are now running full capacity, others are not running to full capacity yet but he thinks that good times are bound to return.

Mr. Haines was busy this morning marking some of the goods he bought, which had begun to arrive before he got home.

IRISH PRESIDENT RETURNS TO CONSULT PARLIAMENT

Peace Negotiations are Temporarily Suspended, But Armistice is Still in Effect.

London, July 22.—Eamonn DeValera, "President of the Irish Republic" returned to Ireland today to present the English Government's peace offer to Dail Eireann, the Sinn Fein parliament. Despite temporary suspension of the peace negotiations, the armistice continues in effect.

DeValera made a short speech from the train asking the crowd for their sympathy toward the Irish cause.

VOTE SECOND TIME FOR CONSOLIDATION

PATRONS DEFEAT MOVE TO DISORGANIZE SKIDMORE DISTRICT

LARGE VOTE IS CAST

347 Favor Larger Unit, While 206 Would Continue Under Old System.

The voters of the Skidmore consolidated district proved yesterday that they were in favor of continuing with the larger unit of the chool system when they voted down the proposition of dissolving the district by a vote of 347 against dissolving to 206 fof disorganization of the district.

The vote yesterday was stronger for the consolidation that it was in the original vote for the prosopsition. Originally there were 336 votes for consolidation and 196 against. Yesterday the number of voters who stood out against the disorganization was 347 or an increase of 11.

The total number of votes polled in the election yesterday was 553. When the vote was cast for the organization of the district there were 196 who voted against the proposition and yesterday there were 206 for the disorganization of the district, aa increase of 10.

Yesterday's vote tends to prove that the patrons of the districts involved acknowledged the legality of the original petition, according to Bert Cooper, county superintendent of schools. There has been some talk of a contest to be filed on the ground that the first petition was not legally drawn, but Superintendent Cooper holds that the vote cast yesterday should remove any dissatisfaction.

Complaints have come to the county court and the county superintendent that if the district is consolidated they will not get any state aid for their high school. County superentendent said today that they would receive $25 a square mile each year up to the amount of $800, from the state for high school aid. He also stated that the law required the rural schools to maintain a nine month's school each year and must also maintain certain standards of efficiency which were not assured by the old type of district.

To dissolve the school district would have required two-thirds of the votes of the district and not two-thirds of the votes cast.

W. J. Hitchhcock was chairman of the meeting yesterday and the three judges were; J. R. Bagby, J. F. Brown and L. G. Jordan. The meeting was held at the Union Valley school house.

The districts consolidated are: Skidmore, Eureka, Mount Vernon, Burr Oak, Albright, Star, Union Valley, Liberty, Good Will and Scrub Oak.

DR. M'VEY REJECTS M. U. OFFER

Will Retain Position as Head of Kentucky University.

Lexington, Ky., July 22.—Dr. Frank L. McVey, president of the University of Kentucky has announced that he will remain at the university. He had been offered the presidency of Missouri university. It is understood that he will not receive any increase in salary.

WANTED.

To do your hauling; have a large truck.

J. M. HANTZE

Han. 4484 Farmers 52-15

Ladies of Mt. Zion Baptist church market, Saturday from 9 to 12 o'clock at Wray Hardware store, north side of the square. All kinds of good things to eat.

PIONEER CITIZEN IS 78 YEARS OLD

CAPT. CHARLES HYSLOP SPENDS BIRTHDAY IN OFFICE

RECALLS SPORTS OF '74

Twilight Leaguers Had Nothing on "Fats" and "Leans" of Old Days, He Says.

Captain Charles Hyslop, one of the pioneer citizens of Maryville spent his seventy-eighth birthday yesterday in his office. As active as most men of sixty years, he is still attending to business affairs, and still interested in the big game of life. Yesterday was the first of his seventy-eight birthday that he had spent without any of his blood relations, he said, his wife having died two months ago. He has two half brothers but both live in other states.

The Captain has lived to see many changes in the city of Maryville since he came in 1874. At that time there were only a few brick buildings, among them being the one which now houses the Maryville Drug Store and the back part of the building occupied by D. E. Hotchkin.

Those were the days when Missouri officers were not searching the river banks and brush heaps for moonshiners and corn whiskey, for breweries were running wide open. A small brick building situated just back of the public school site was then a brewery.

The court house and a small brick building which has been removed from the place where Dr. C. D. Koch's residence is now were the only other brick buildings in Maryville in '74.

Mr. Hyslop is of Scottish stock. His mother and father both came to America in a sail boat when it took about ninety days to make the trip. He was born in Penyan, N. Y., soon after his parents landed here. True to the Scottish tradition, his father continued in the raising of sheep when he got to America and it was through this pursuit that the family was brought farther west.

Forty-eight years ago, young Hyslop came to Missouri and settled in Maryville. That spring he and John Shreve, who had preceeded Hyslop to this town about six months, set up the first exclusive boot and shoe shop in Maryville. He remained in the mercantile business for about two years, when he sold out and went into the real estate business. He has been dealing in land and loans every since. For eight years he was public administrator and was representative from this district in the Forty-Eighth General Assembly of Missouri in 1914 15. The Captain had a hearty laugh this morning when he recalled the election in 1914 and told how he was elected to the State Legislature on the Republican ticket by the bare majority of two votes.

Although Mr. Hyslop served in the Civil War that was not where he got his title of "Captain." He served as a non-commissioned officer with the 7th Missouri Volunteer Cavalry on the side of the Union. He enlisted at Prairie Grove, Ark., and served almost three years before he was discharged. During his service he was wounded in the right chest. The wound never gave him any trouble that he remembered unless it was the weakness of that lung which was the cause of his contracting pneumonia ten years ago. He served three years in the state militia in 1882 and it was during this service that he was promoted to the rank of Captain.

The twilight league and the Moonshine leaguers think they are pulling something new, says the captain, but he told of the good old times that they had in the old days when the same old spirit was running high in the blood of the youths of Maryville when the "Fats" tackled the "Leans" in a game of baseball. They had their ball diamond in the center of what is now the northwest residence district of Maryville. That was in '89, and although those who took part in the ball games were clothiers and professional men they took the titles of leans and fats.

One of Mr. Hyslop's hobbies is the collection of animal horns. He gave his collection yesterday to P. N. Griffin, proprietor of the Merchants Cafe

His good health in his old age Captain Hyslop attributes to the fact that he has taken many trips through the hot summer months instead of staying too close to work. It was on

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FAR EAST CONFERENCE IS PROPOSED BY BRITAIN

America is Asked to Enter Parley to be Held Immediately In London

London, July 22.—Marquis Curzon, British foreign secretary, has proposed to America an immediate conference of the ambassadors of Pacific powers in London to work out preliminary lines for settlement of the Far East problems, it was learned today.

The proposal was made to George Harvey, American ambassador at a conference at the foreign office today.

SETH RAY DAVID POST TO RUN STAND AT BARNARD

Lester Babb Initiated at Chapter Meeting Last Night—Presented With Bible.

Mrs. S. T. Gile, her brothers and sisters, who were brothers and sisters of Seth Ray David, the boy who died overseas and whom the Veterans of Foreign War Post was named after, presented the post last night with a Bible.

Following the business meeting, the ladies' auxiliary of the post served a luncheon. The committee serving was composed of Mrs. S. T. Gile, Mrs. Jack Pennington, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. Maggie Lahr, Miss Hilda Lahr and Miss Grace Fisher.

The members attending the meeting were G. Flomerfelt, Robert Garten, Purl H. Shell, James Anderson, D. K. Seckington, J. A. Cooper, Edward Condon, Olin Kissinger, Thomas O. Hickman, Lester Babb, Pierre Karr, Jack Pennington, Ray O'Grady, Roy J. Mayes, Charles Wiles, Benjamin E. Hale, Omer P. Fisher, E. A. Kendall, William McKee and Sanford Jones.

Lester Babb was initiated into the Seth Ray David Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at the weekly meeting last night. Several business matters were borught before the chapter, one of which was the question of whether or not to run a stand at the Barnard Picnic. It was decided to operate the stand.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS TO BE GIVEN AUGUST 5-6

Students of College May Take Exams. Here and Have Paper Sent Home.

The county teachers examinations will be held in the high school building at Maryville, August 5-6. Bert Cooper, county superintendent of schools said this afternoon that students of the State Teachers College may take these examinations here and have their papers sent home.

The program for the two days is:

FIRST DAY.

Geography—8 a. m. to 9:30 a. m.
Language—9 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
Algebra—10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Orthography—11 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Grammar—1:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m.
Arithmetic—2:30 p. m. to 5:00 p. m.
Literature—3:30 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.
Reading—4:30 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

SECOND DAY.

Civil Government—8 a. m. to 9:30 a. m.
U. S. History—9 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.
Agriculture—10 a. m. to 12 m.
Algebra—10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Adv. Science—10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.
Physiology—1:30 p. m. to 3:00 p. m.
Writing—2:00 p. m. to 3:00 p. m.
Pedagogy—2:30 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.
Literature—3:30 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.
Adv. History—3:30 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

Mrs. Bert Cooper, who has been visiting her mother near Graham since Wednesday returned to her home today. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Snowberger and sister, Lucile.

Tonsil Operation.

Eleanora Nicholas, 10-ear-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nicholas had tonsils and adenoids removed at St. Francis Hospital this morning.

CHILDREN HONOR VETERAN ANGLER

UNCLE STAR CARMICHAEL CELEBRATES 84 TH BIRTHDAY

GIVEN SURPRISE DINNER

Although Advanced in Age, Old Pickering Resident Still Follows The Hounds.

"Uncle" Star Carmichael, a resident of northwest Missouri for sixty-two years celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday anniversary yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Young, of Pickering, with whom he has lived about twelve months.

Uncle Star is probably the most famous fisherman and wolf and fox hunter of Nodaway county, these sports being his favorite pastime, even at his advanced age.

Six of his nine children and their families and a number of friends surprised Mr. Carmichael at the Young home last night. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lamport; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carter and son, Harold and daughter, Ethel; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carmichael and children, Helen and Eddie; Mr. and Mrs. James Arnett and daughter, Mary Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Swalley and son Joseph Darl; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carmichael and son Donald, and daughter, Eleanora; Mrs. Al Royston; Mrs. Nellie Alden; Mrs. J. Logan; Mr. and Mrs. John Young; Misses Golda Carmichael, Hazel Lamport and Josie Sadler and Delmar Carmichael.

The three children who were unable to attend were two sons, George Carmichael of Jones City, Okla., William Carmichael of St. Joseph and a daughter, Mrs. James Carter, living near Pickering.

Uncle Star is one of the best known characters of the Maryville and Pickering vicinities. His activeness, his keen interest in life and his sense of humor has won him many friends. Each year, his children and grandchildren given him a surprise dinner or party, to celebrate his birthday anniversary.

ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION ROAD MARKING PLANS MEET

With every town in the county having been visite dexcept Graham, nothing but the heartiest cooperation has been shown toward the scheme to mark all county roads, according to Secretary George Pickens of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce, who visited Ravenwood, Parnell, Clyde and Conception Junction with F. A. Bush yesterday.

All these towns have pledged the funds necessary to cover the expense of the sign boards, which will then be put up by the Maryville men. At Parnell, Mayor R. C. Rhoades said the city council would be glad to cooperate. At Conception Junction, the Automobile Club had their quota raised.

Graham, the one remaing town, will not be visited, it being taken for granted that the same spirit exists there as in the other towns. An opportunity to contribute will be given them after the signs have been put up.

The marking of the roads under the proposed plan will make Nodaway County the best marked county in the state according to Secretary Pickens.

Announce Birth of Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey of Quitman announce the birth of a daughter this morning whom they have named Mary Helen.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

And Tomorrow Night

WALLACE REID

in another of his corking funny pictures,

"SICK ABED"

Also Sennett comedy. Usual prices.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Why a New Constitution

A week from next Tuesday Missourians will be called to the polls to participate in one of the most important activities of late years. While an expression will be given on other matters, the important question is approval of a plan for a convention affirmative decision on that question is earnestly hoped for.

With the regular and special sessions of the Legislature, the pendency of a highway undertaking of large moment and this special election, the year is one in which a more than ordinary attention on the part of the individual citizen is directed to public affairs of major importance. Since the election was provided for sharp differences as to various measures affecting administrative and other methods and features of long standing have also developed, with much clash of partisan opinion. The revision election, however, presents an issue which is not subordinate to any issue either of this or of many former years. In it is found one of the very highest opportunities of citizenship. Differences as to the judgement on other matters partisanship, and especially inertia, should be laid aside. The decision should be reached without complication by other and lesser questions. Other decisions of the year are of a more or less temporary nature, determined by expediency. This decision looks to the most permanent results of any decision that can be rendered in the state jurisdiction.

It must not be supposed that a revision convention, if authorized, will go far afield in its work, seeking now provisions of a doubtful or a lease experimental nature. Public opinion has reached very definite conclusions as to the changes to be made and proposed changes that go beyond the present limit set in revision will have a most difficult path to adoption. Provision creating a simpler, more efficient tax system, safeguarding eduction, improving court practice, setting up an administrative machinery under which politics can be minimized in state affairs and better results secured are the provisions that have been steadily held in mind by consistent advocates of a convention for many years. Possibly a further approximate to the short ballot will be aimed at, though that is something on which sentiment is less pronounced.

Those who entertain a strong affection for the present constitution need have no alarm. It is a fine old instrument, embodying the higher principles of the old common law, protecting guarantee of individual rights and privileges and revealing thruout a spirit of justice and genuine democracy. But it is being slowly brought under criticism and even into disrepute because of a very few provisions, which adequate in their day prehaps, have been outgrown and are ill adapted to a more complex state of society. The purpose of a revision convention is to save this splendid old doucument from reproach by bringing it up to date and making the government scheme for which it furnishes a foundation modern and more efficient.

On August 2 a proposed amendment removing feminine disabilities in respect to holding office and participating in other public duties will also be voted on. In case the revision proposal is not sanctioned, this improvement will at least be made in the present instrument, for its rejection is hardly imaginable. The pendency of this amendment is in itself an illustration of the need for a revision of the entire instrument, to bring its features in harmony with the changes of the last forty-six years. The better way of harmonizing its text with the present is by a convention, which will pass on insufficiencies as a whole rather than by piece-meal amendment.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

HENRY FORD APPLIES FOR JOB AT EDISON'S WORKS.

(By H. I. Phillips)

Scene: Edison plant.

Time: Plenty.

Mr. Ford enters and asks Edison for a position.

Edison: "Well, Hen, what can I do for you?"

Ford: "I'm looking for work."

Edison: "Looking for work! Why Hen, I thought you had the biggest paying business in the country."

Ford: "Well, it's like this: I'm sick of it; there's too much detail—too many little things to look after."

Edison: "Why don't you make a larger car?"

Ford: "No, I wanta get into a new game, something more illuminating and with a brighter future in it."

Edison: "Whatcher gunter do with the flivver business?"

Ford: "Oh, I know a couple of nice young Jewish boys, and I'm gunter let 'em have it."

Edison: "Well, Hen, you're a friend of mine and all that, but I can't give anyone a job here who doesn't pass my XYZ test. It's the rules, you know. Do you think you could answer a hundred questions on history, geography, etc?"

Ford: "The last time I tried it I made an awful mess of it. Couldn't you lay off the history stuff * * * * just as a favor?"

Edison: "No; history is very important in the electric light business. A man who doesn't know, for instance, how long Cleopatra was sick could never string a telephone wire properly, * * * and just fancy employing a man to charge a battery if he couldn't tell offhand what colored vests Henry VIII wore!"

Ford: "Well, shoot your questions, but I don't like the idea."

Edison: "Who was Paul Revere?"

Ford: "A jockey or something like that, wasn't he?"

Edison: "Correct. Who wrote "The Star Spangled Banner?"

Ford: "George C. Francis Cohan, wasn't it?"

Edison: "Right! Now, who was John Quincy Adams?"

Ford: "He's the feller that writes 'The Conning Tower' in the Tribune."

Edison: "Gosh, Hen, you know everything."

Ford: "Well, I've studied a bit in my spare parts * * I should say, my spare hours."

Edison: "Who was Moses?"

Ford: "Let's not get into any racial dispute."

Edison: "No, Hen, tell me who was Hendrik Hudson?"

Ford: "He invented the Hudson motor car."

Edison: "Who wrote "The Barber of Seville'?"

Ford: "I dunno, unless it was Gillette."

Edison: "Correct, Hen. Tell me something about Mephistopheles."

Ford: "Methistophles are young mosquitoes, ain't they?"

Edison: "It is impossible to stick you. What Latin motto was on the original American flag?"

Ford: "F. O. B. Detroit."

Edison: "What is the capital of Socony?"

Ford: "About $10,000,000,00."

Edison: "Where is Sedan?"

Ford: "I dunno; I came in a coupe."

Edison: "Name a famous general."

Ford: "General Motors."

Edison: "Where are the greatest tin mines located?"

Ford: "Detroit."

Edison: "Who discovered carbon?"

Ford: "Do you know any car owner who didn't?"

Edison: "How many miles to a gallon?"

Ford: "Eighteen or your money back."

Edison: "What does the Monroe Doctrine guarantee?"

Ford: "Ninety days' service at any of our service stations."

Edison: "What killed Ben Hur?"

Ford: "Probably a garage bill for chariot repairs."

Edison: "Where do all the codfish come from?"

Ford: "I dunno. I just keep advertisin' the car and they just flock in from all sides to buy it."

Edison: "Oh, there's no sense going any further; you answer them as well as I could. Take off your coat and hat and go to work."

She Held Up the Bombing Tests

After the navy planes in the recent bombing tests had located the radio-controlled battleship Iowa off the Virginia capes the bombing operations had to be delayed for a time because this three-masted schooner calmly sailed into the field of action. The picture was taken from the air.

For the Memory Book

I often wonder if those who live in the country are aware of the riches they possess in such abundance. A moonlight night in July or August is anything but lovely in the city. Out where the hills rise or the plains expand or water whispers, the world is drenched in a cascade of beauty, and sometimes the magic is such that it makes the heart ache. Only for an instant does the moonlight rest on the iron streets, but for long hours it floods the valleys where the country folk are privileged to dwell, and on many a cool cottage it tumbles in lavish Niagaras of peace.—From "Loafing Down Long Island", By Charles Hanson Towne.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Archer, Mrs. Benjamin Booher and son, Glen, of Burlington Junction and Wilma Florine Booher of Cherryville, Kan., were Maryville visitors yesterday.

Misses Maude and Hazel Frede will leave tomorrow for Chillicothe where they will visit with friends and relatives.

Owen Lewis of Clearmont is visiting in Maryville with Paul Whaley at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whaley.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

It's toasted
LUCKY STRIKE CIGARETTE
The American Tobacco Co.

Couldn't Tell.

"Do you love me still, dear?" she asked anxiously.

"I don't know darling," replied the brute. "I never saw you that way".

A Michigan doctor called on an influenza patient. The patient sneezed the doctor contracted the disease and died. He carried an accident insurance policy; his widow went to court to collect the value of the policy on the ground that the doctor had contracted the disease thru accident—namely, the sneezing of the patient. A jury rendered a verdict in favor of the widow. Old legends credit the sneeze with being a direct cause of death, but this is the 1st time the idea has been given legal recognition.

Never at the Aquarium

Mrs. Wilkins—Do you like codfish balls, Mr. Fox?

The New Lodger—I don't know, Mrs. Wilkins, I never attended any.

Philip Curtiss, now roling in wealth as an author, tried 20 different jobs and failed in all. He wrote: "Wanted—A Fool" and his royalties alone have made him rich.

Fire Destroys Nine Stores

Atlantic City, July 22.—Nine stores were destroyed by fire here today, and sections of a board walk nearby were also destroyed.

WILLIAM BURNS GIVES TANGLED STORY IN EXAMINATION.

Chicago, July 21.—The attorneys for the "Black Sox" drew first blood today when they broke through the testimony of William Burns, confessed go-between in the corruption of the 1919 world's series. Burns, under a withering cross examination, contradicted himself for the first time. He denied that he had visited the accused ball players following the first game in Cincinnati, after having testified to that effect on the witness stand yesterday.

The rush of fans to the court room was greater today than at any previous session.

Water in Ear Causes Death

Topeka, Kan., July 21.—Water which entered the inner recesses of the ear while swimming several weeks ago at Milan, Mo., resulted in the death of Dennis C. Payne, a Topeka attorney. Physicians said the water caused infection which terminated in meningitis. An operation failed to help the patient. Mr. Payne was ill about two weeks. He was a son-in-law of Frank E. Grimes, former state treasurer.

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NOTICE!

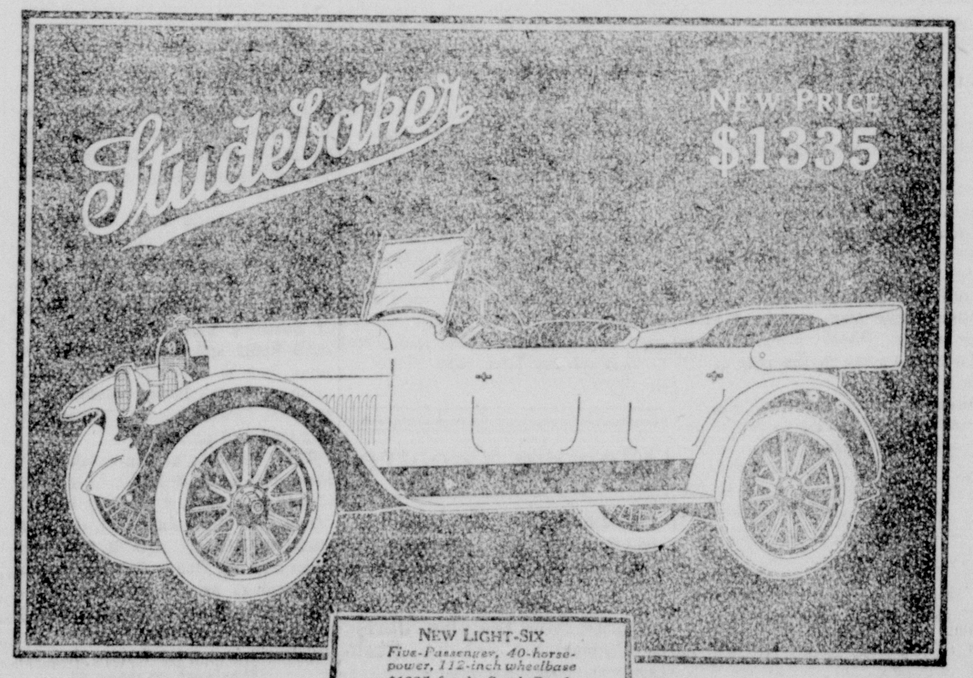
TO THE PEOPLE OF MARYVILLE AND VICINITY:

In th past few weeks there have been many reports circulated concerning conditions at Big Lake, Missouri. These reports resemble greatly the propaganda circulated by the Germans in this country during the world war. They are circulated by certain people in order to gain a personal end.

It is my pleasure to declare openly to the people of Maryville that these reports as to unsanitary or immoral conditions at the lake are absolutely false, and founded on no better grounds than mere personal prejudice. They are an insult to the good people who enjoy an evening or a Sunday at the lake.

I will consider it a personal favor if anyone can give me information which will aid me in running down the source of this malicious propaganda.

John F. Iden
Prop. Iden's Lakehouse.



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Social Gossip and Clubs

Country Club

Mrs. Wiliam Job, Sr. entertained the members of the Country Club yesterday afternoon at her home. Twelve members were present and the afternoon was spent in quilting. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Job.

Snyder Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Snyder entertained at twelve o'clock dinner today the guests being Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Faubion of Kansas City, Prof. and Mrs. Charles Allen and S. D. Whiteley of Flagler, Colo., Mrs. C. L. Wright and George P. Wright of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Allen and Mr. Whiteley are making the trip in their car and will leave for home this evening.

Bloomfield Club.

The Bloomfield Needle-work club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lee Birkenholtz near Pickering. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Dale Wiley and Mrs. Andrew Hanson. Eleven members were present and the time was spent socially. The club will be entertained on August 4, at the home of Mrs. B. C. Clayton.

Scott Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott will be hosts at dinner tomorrow night at their country home near Maryville entertaining for their cousin, Mrs. Russel J. Walsh and Mr. Walsh of Omaha, Neb., Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Houston, Lewis, Anna and John Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Houston and daughter, Jean, all of Burlington Junction and Dr. R. C. Person of Maryville.

Miss Orpha Stuart Weds.

Miss Orpha Stuart of Savannah, Mo., a former Maryville resident and A. J. Nottolf were married on July 4, at Santa Fe, New Mexico. They will make their home at Alburquerque, New Mexico where Mr. Nottoli is in businecc. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Nettie Stuart and is a former employee of the Farmers Trust Company of this city. She also has attended the State Teachers College. Sheand her mother formerly taught in the Harmony Consolidated school district.

W. C. S. N. Club.

Piecing a quilt was the work at the meeting of the W. C. S. N. club held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lew Coleman near Hopkins. The election of officers was also held and those elected were president, Mrs. Ol Coleman; vice-president, Mrs. Elmer Hutchison; secretary, Miss Sylvia Baldwin; treasurer, Miss Maude Thull. Sixteen members attended the meeting and a social hour was enjoyed. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. Guy Blanchard and Miss Maude Thull. The club will meet on Tuesday, August 2 at the home of Mrs. Ol Coleman.

Movie Party.

Mrs. H. S. Dowell entertained with a movie party at the Empire theatre last night to celebrate the seventeenth birthday anniversary of her son, Donald. Following the performance, refreshments were served at the Dowell home. The guests included Simeon Wright, Donald Williams, Gerald Keefe, Paul Miller, Mr. Williamson of Albany, Mo., Wilson McMurry, John Costello, Roland Merrigan, William Geist and Donald Davenport.

St. Patrick's Sewing Circle.

The women of St. Patrick's church met yesterday afternoon at the church for the purpose of organizing a sewing circle. In the election of officers, Mrs. Art Garten was elected president; Mrs. J. B. Cummins, vice-president and Mrs. Fred Diss, treasurer. A comfort was knotted and completed at the meeting. The Circle will meet on Wednesday of next week at the home of Mrs. J. P. Cummins, but the meetings thereafter will be held every two weeks. All women of the church are invited to attend. Those present yesterday were Mrs. Matt O'Brien, Mrs. Mike Sherlock, Mrs. Fred Diss, Mrs. J. B. Cummins, Mrs. K. C. Cummins, Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. C. M. Pope, Mrs. Dan O'Grady, Mrs. Ed Sherlock, Mrs. C. P. Durbin, Mrs. Heffern, Mrs. William Dofting, Miss Maude Pope, Miss Anna Kimple and Miss Cecilia Miller.

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Mother's Club Picnic.

Sixty members and visitors attended the picnic held last night in the Beal pasture east of Maryville by the Mothers' club of the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Holliday and son, Robert, of Fulton, Mo., who are visiting in Maryville with the Rev. Holliday's mother Mrs. O. B. Holliday, were honor guests. The out-of-town visitors were Mildred and Foret Candison of Huntsville, Mo., a niece and nephew of the Rev. and Mrs. Holliday, Arthur Roderick of Rosendale, Mrs. Turner and daughter of Excelsior Springs.

Sunday Dinner.

A basket dinner was enjoyed Sunday at the home of H. A. Smith east of Quitman. The guests included J. W. Smith of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McGinness and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steven Viles and family, Will Redd and family, all of the Centenary community, Anderson Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. George Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sharp and family, Thomas Martin, Mrs. Esther Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Johnston all of Quitman, Mr. and Mrs. Art Campbell and family of Elmo, Mrs. William Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Mendenhall and son of College Springs, Ia., Mrs. R. O. Yates and children of Esmond, S. Dak., Ruth Linville, living near Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Owens and family of Quitman.

Party at Simmons Home.

Everett Simmons, living near Orrsburg whose fiftieth birthday anniversary occurred Wednesday, was given a surprise party Wednesday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Headrick, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Headrick, Mrs. Charles Moffitt and son, Donald, of Quitman, Mr. and Mrs. Bige Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simmons and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Lattimer and son, Hobart, Letha and Lucile Lawson and Sue Simmons.

Party at Lawrence Home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Lawrence of Arkoe gave a birthday party Wednesday night in honor of their son, Glen, whose sixteenth birthday anniversary occurred that day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hans From, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Logan, Misses Lydia, Mildred and Annie Allen, Dolly and May Smith, Mary Schinder, Ida and Johanna From and Oliver Mathers, Raymond and Henry From, Orval Allen, Ernest and Pete Smith, Harry and Edgar Logan and Edward Lawrence.

McCord Birthday Party.

Mrs. D. A. McCord gave a party Tuesday afternoon at her home in celebration of the fifth birthday anniversary of her son, Russell. The color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. The honor guest was the recipient of many attractive gifts and games furnished entertainment. Mrs. McCord was assisted by her daughter, Dorothy. Those present were Alice Virginia England, Mary Alice Charles, Helen, Marie and Harold Davis, Doris Kendall and Wayne Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. McCord had as their 6 o'clock dinner guests Tuesday night, Mrs. Frank Goodspeed, Miss Blanche Erickson, Miss Grace Tebow, Dorothy, Roy and Russell McCord.

W. C. I. Club.

Mrs. T. J. Tobin living near Burlington Junction was hostess to a meeting of the W. C. I. Club Wednesday afternoon at her home. Several musical selections were given by Misses Irene and Katherine Tobin and recitations were given by little Wilma Florine Booher of Cherryville, Kan., and little Marjorie Nicholas. Mrs. Benjamin Booher read a letter from a former member, Miss Bernice Baker of Allison, Colo., which told of a visit to the Homes of the Cliff Dwellers. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Seven members and two visitors, Miss Katherine Vaughn of Maryville and Wilma Florine Booher of Cherryville, Kan., were present. The club will be entertained on August 17, at the home of Mrs. P. D. Nicholas.

Entertained.

Viola and Dorothy Henderson entertained a company of their friends from two until five o'clock this afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl O. Henderson, in honor of their cousin, Arthur Roderick of Rosendale, Mo., and Mildred, Dorothy and Foret Sandison of Huntsville, Mo., who motored to Maryville several days ago with their uncle and aunt the Rev. and Mrs. O. C. Holliday of Fulton. Games, music and light refreshments furnished the entertainment. Mrs. Henderson and daughters were assisted by Anna May and Opal Holt. The guest list included Dora Masters, Helen Kelley, Virginia Larmer, Mildred and Ruth Jensen, Emily Martin, Ruth and Helen Kramer, Charlotte and Helen Leet Lucile Myers, Maxine Holt, Eloise Curl, Lucy Lloyd, Isabel Hamlin Grace Geist, Joyce Elaine Johnson Mildred and Joe Wiles, Beulah May White, Frances Bowman, Mildred Dorothy and Foret Sandison of Huntsville, Junior Gray, Arthur Roderick of Rosendale, Walter and Calvin Allen, Carl Fisher, Ellwood Williams Gerald Stultz, Clarence Lloyd, Olive Curl, John Henry and Vilas Thorp Billie Padgett, Rebert Wilmes, and Mary Elizabeth Henderson.

Lawn Party at Quitman.

The Epworth League of the Quitman Methodist church held a social last night on the school house lawn. Those present were Mrs. Brooks, Mrs. Rodman, Misses Ogalee Rodman, Mildred Dean, Cleo Wilson, Loreen Browning, Iva May Browning, Bessie Ellsworth, Gladys Hoyt, Opal Gillinger, Ethel Hoyt, Eldora Hankins, and Ralph Slack, Ethelbert Wright, Forrest Graham, Bertram Slack, Eddie Hart, Pearl Hart, Harry and Alton Leed, Fern Thomas, Norvelle Hartman and Olin Argo. Refreshments were served by Misses Mary Brooks, Opal Hoyt and Ethel Gillinger.

Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club.

Miss Pearl Berry entertained the members of the Mozingo Valley H. K. G. Club yesterday afternoon afternoon at her home near Pickering. Roll call was answered with Irish jokes. The meeting was a social one and nine members were present. The visitors were Mrs. Mary House, Misses Verna Pistole, Florence David, Olevia Bloomfield, and Noble Florea. Forrest Letts and Ilda Simmons. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. John Green and Mrs. James Letts. The club will be entertained in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Roy Killam.

Party at Hantze Home.

A party was held last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hantze on Lawn Avenue, when a number of friends of their daughter, Opal, surprised her as the Hantze family will leave soon for Colome, S. Dak., to make their home. Fifteen surprisers were present and games and music were enjoyed.

MERRIGAN BARN BURNS NEAR CLYDE LAST NIGHT.

The barn on the William Merrigan farm two miles east of Clyde burned the the ground about 8:30 o'clock last night. None of the family were at home at the time the fire started and it was not discovered until the barn had almost burned. The fire is thought to have been caused by combustion of new hay. The contents of the barn included hay, corn, buggy, harness and miscellaneous articles. The loss was partially covered by insurance.

No, Thank You!

On Monday of this week, Rev. T. D. Roberts received through the mail the offer of the degree of D. D. from the Centennial State University, for the small pittance of twenty-five dollars, and the answering of 41 questions about himself and his family and his parents' family, etc. And all that without being required to attend commencement, for the good reason, "There are no commencement exercises at this time." to attend. The money asked is just to pay the cost of engraving the diploma. But he declines this very great honor. (?) He wonders if this is the way some of the honorary degrees come now, that there are so many of them.—Mound City News-Jeffersonian.

Nodaway Man Appointed.

At their last meeting the Board of Curators of the University of Missouri appointed Alva Clay Hill instructor in field crops at the College of Agriculture. Young Hill grew up on a farm near Graham, taught five years in the country schools and then largely worked his way through the agriculture college at Columbia.

Demand Sims' Removal.

Detroit, July 22.—Removal of Admiral Sims as head of the Naval War College is demanded of Secretary of Navy Denby in a resolution adopted by convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in session here. The resolutions characterized the admiral as one "whose notorious pro-English activities were such that he was no longer an American citizen."

$500,000 Missing From Bank.

Chicago, July 22.—Bank examiners today discovered that $500,000 cash is missing from the vaults of the Michigan Avenue Trust Company, which was temporarily closed yesterday by the state banking authorities. Cash had been replaced by securities which the examiners declared were practically valueless. Warren Spargin, president of the bank, is missing.

C. C. Davis of Stanberry was in Maryville yesterday on business.

Robert Gex of Skidmore was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

LEMONS HIT NEW HIGH MARK, 75 CENTS A DOZEN

Price Boost Is Blamed on Prohibition — Bananas Also High—Oranges More Reasonable.

Charges to prohibition another evil—the high cost of lemons. Fruit dealers say that the price of lemons is the highest ever known here, $14 a box. A reason given is the big demand because lemonade is taking the place of other soft drinks. This is said to be due partly to the low price of sugar. During June the sales of lemons locally have been the largest ever known and this condition is said to prevail generally.

A year ago lemons were selling here at about $4 a box. As late as May this year the price was $5 Then in June they began to soar. A box contains 30 lemons so the wholesale price is almost 5 cents a lemon. They were 75 cents a dozen retail today. As a result of the skyward jump the demand is falling off and this may cause a slump.

Bananas are as high as 50 cents a dozen. Retailers say that the loss on bananas as a result of the hot weather and softening of the fruit has been greater than usual during the last sevearl weeks.

Oranges are more reasonable in price than for several years. They are wholesaling at $5 to $6 a box. A year ago they were $8 and $9 a box.

The watermelon crop in this part of the country is going to be large, but will not be large enough to be considered commercially by the commission men, they say. At present melons come from Texas, mostly, and Aug. 1 the southern Missouri crop will be in. Watermelons are now selling at 3 1-2 cents a pound.

Peaches are $2.25 to $3.50 a bushel and a higher price is predicted by the en dof the week. There are no home grown peaches.

Cantaloupes come from the Imperial Valley of California, and from Arizona and New Mexico with some from Arkansas. The choice ones retail at two for 25 cents.

PAVILION COMMITTEE INSPECTS NODAWAY COUNTY BUILDING.

The livestock sale pavilion committee appointed by the Andrew County Live Stock Breeders' Association planned to visit the sale pavilion now in use in Nodaway county July 15, but rain caused them to postpone their trip until yesterday, July 21. The committee are H. R. Coffer, J. W. McKee, Lloyd Zimmerman and County Agent Kleinschmidt. They made the trip in Mr. Coffer's car. Their report is too late to get in this issue.—Savannah Reporter.

STEAMSHIP IS DISABLED WITH 75 PASSENGERS

San Francisco, July 22.—The Steamship Admiral Farragut, carrying seventy-five passengers and a crew of sixty, which left here last night for Seattle is adrift in a dense fog, twelve miles north of the San Francisco light ship, according to radio advices today.

An explosion in the main feed pipe disabled the vessel. The tug "Sea Eagle" is rushing to the assistance of the Farragut.

Return From Minnesota

Mr. and Mrs. John Neal, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bishop of Los Angeles, Cal., returned yesterday afternoon from a six weeks vacation spent among the Minnesota Lakes. They left here June 2, making the trip both ways by automobile.

That Iowa roads are superior to Missouri's highways is generally acknowledged, says Mr. Neal, but he reports Minnestota's roads as far superior to Iowa's as Iowa's are to Missouri's.

Good Crops on Schooler Farm

Twenty-four acres of wheat on the E. J. Schooler farm, one mile north and one-half mile east of the Union school house, averaged 30 bushels to the acre and eight acres of oats averaged 50 bushels to the acre. The threshing was done by Parent.

Undergo Operations

Margaret and Mary Rose Leuck, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leuck, underwent operations for having their tonsils and adnoids removed yesterday morning at the St. Francis hospital. They were getting along nicely today.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear son and brother, John David, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Neeley.
Miss Alma May Neeley.

Mrs. Mary Fullerton of Stanberry was in Maryville yesterday on business.

Edgar Stewart of Fairfax was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

James Lewis of Ravenwood was in Maryivlle this morning on business.

INVESTORS ARE STUCK WHEN OIL COMPANY FAILS

Filling Stations Erected But Central Missouri Stockholders Have Nothing Else.

Mexico, Mo., July 22.—Consternation has been caused in central Missouri towns by the naming of a receiver in Kansas City for the Producers' Consolidated Oil Company, which has erected filling stations in many Missouri towns.

So far only ornamental filling stations have been erected in Mexico, Fulton, Centralia, Higginsville, and Corder, and preliminary plans made and stock sold in Marshall and Odessa. Stock was priced to investors at 50 per cent of par value on the guarantee by the company agents that they would furnish the investors with oil at half the selling price.

Men who bought heavily have now only depreciated stock as the company has no oil or gas to furnish the filling stations.

Would Use Old School Law

Jefferson City, July 22.—A bill has been introduced in the house by Representative Hale of New Madrid County to permit school districts of the state to continue their building programs which have been suspended by the referendum of the county unit bill. The measure would permit districts to levy taxes, as before, to pay school bonds. Under the county unit bill districts could not issue bonds after last March. Investors since have refused to buy district bonds because of the uncertainty of the outcome of the referendum on the county unit bill at the election in November 1922.

WONDER IF THE PEOPLE NEXT DOOR ARE RELATED TO YOU?

Flowing in your veins is the blood of 65,000 people who were walking the earth when Columbus discovered America in 1492. For instance, you have 1 father, 1 mother. Each of them had the same which gives you 2 grandfathers, 2 grandmothers. Each of the latter had a father, mother, which gives you 4 greatgrandpas, 4 great-grandmas. Trace your family tree back thru 18 generations, to about the year 1300; you have 262,144 grandparents. That is, you're descended from that many. Carry it back 5,000 years, your ancestors would number so many that we could not begin to print their names, if we used all the space in the paper, set them in the smallest type. Unquestionably, if you had photographs of your ancestors as far back as 1,000 years ago, youd find that you are the exact image of 1 of them. What part of your physical make-up, intellect, emotional or character did you inherit from him? What part from his wife? The Mendelian law of heredity, accepted by most scientists says that all these are inherited from both sides. Another school of scientists believes that your nerves, your skeleton are inherited from your mothers side, that your fathers' line of descent furnishes you with your brains, hair, nails, muscles, your outer skin—material for much argument between ma, pa. The fact that you are descended from 262,144 people who were living 600 years suggests that the brotherhood of man is more fact than imagination or sentiment. Wonder if these people next door are distantly related to you, far back in the mists of time.

PIONEER CITIZEN IS 78 YEARS OLD

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these trips that he began his collection of horns. The largest one was a buffalo horn which he got in Wyoming, but the one which he prized most was an antelope horn. He prized this because of the difficulty he had in getting it. He and a companion were giving the antelope a hot chase and both fired on it, but when they got the animal they found that there was only one wound. The customary argument followed and to settle the dispute Captain Hyslop gave the companion the credit of killing the animal and he took the horn as his reward.

Mr. Hyslop is an early riser, usually getting up between 5 and 6 o'clock, and is down to his office by 6:30 o'clock each morning. He reads as much as his eyes will permit. His favorite magazine is the American, but "when I want something in light reading I choose the Top-Notch Magazine," he added.

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9-4 bleached sheeting, full 81 inches wide in a wonderful quality at this low price of 39c.

AT 10c A YARD

27 inch fine quality apron check gingham in an assortment of checks. Supply your summer needs at this very low price of 10c a yard.

AT 10c A YARD

36 inch full bleached muslin, an exceptional value at this very low price.

AT 17c A YARD

36 inch dark blue and grey percales, new assortment of beautiful patterns just received in stripes and small patterns.

AT 25c A YARD

Best quality madras for men's and boys' shirts and ladies' dresses, beautiful stripes in new colorings. 25c a yard is very low for this high grade cloth.

AT 10c A YARD

18 inch bleached toweling, a wonderful value at this low price.

AT 15c A YARD

18 inch unbleached toweling in a quality you will say is above the average at 15c a yard.

AT 10c A YARD

We are offering a brand new shipment of 36 inch percales in a beautiful assortment of stripes and small patterns in light colors. Come early for this percale, as the quantity is limited.

AT 18c A YARD

27 inch white outing flannel, heavy quality, our regular 25c grade on sale at 18c.

AT 15c A YARD

New patterns in 27 inch fine quality dress ginghams in patterns suitable for fall dresses. Beautiful plaids in this new assortment.

AT 18c A YARD

We have selected from our stock ginghams in Toul Du Norde qualities that have been selling for 25c to 35c a yard that we will offer special Saturday at 18c.

AT 25c A YARD

New patterns just received in fine quality dress ginghams, beautiful new fall patterns in plaids and stripes. Buy your fall dress from this showing.

AT 10c A PAIR

Ladies' black cotton hose, hemmed top, full size, just the right weight for summer wear.

AT 45c

Ladies' summer weight union suits, umbrella knee style, 38 to 44 sizes, an exceptional value at 45c.

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FOR SALE—White sow and five pigs. 604 South Vine St. 14-23

FOR SALE—Modern Home. Two blocks from Square, seven rooms and bath. Will consider good automobile in part payment. Inquire Democrat-Forum. J 22-tf

FOR SALE—2 speed, 2 cylinder Harley-Davison motorcycle in good running condition. Carter Auto repairing and Electric Shop, West Seventh St. 22-28

FOR SALE—2 burner oil stove, wood stove and base burner. Hanamo 4706. J 16-tf

FOR SALE—Trucks, bags, suiteases. Why pay two middlemen profits? Buy from factory direct. Send for free catalog. Acme Trunk and Bag Factory, Spring Valley, Ill. J 16-tf

FOR SALE—7 passenger 1920 Buick and 5 passenger 1917 Buick in A1 condition. Newlon-Robinson Motor Co. 21-23

FOR SALE — modern six room house. Close in. 115 S. Mulberry, Mrs. J. L. Ritze. 21-27*

MISCELLANEOUS.

PLOWING DONE by tractor anywhere in county. Call Roy Judah at George Neal's, Pickering. J20-A2

BUY INSYDE TYRES and make your tires do double service. L. M. Strader, Agent, Maryville, Mo. 22-25*

WHAT HAVE YOU? We buy, sell or trade. Dealer in furniture, stoves rugs and implements, etc. Case Furniture Exchange. Hanamo 530, Farmers 510. J15-tf.

TIRES-TIRES-TIRES—we have a complete stock of several makes of tires at very low prices. See us before you buy your tires and tubes. Maryville Auto Wrecking Company. J11-A6.

USED AND NEW AUTO PARTS: we have just wrecked a few late model cars and have several good used parts; also new parts for Fords and Maxwells. Maryville auto wrecking Co. J11-A6

LOST—Sterling silver brooch, set with brilliants, in Woolworth 5 and 10 cent store. Saturday afternoon. Finder please leave at Woolworth's 5 and 10c store. 20-22

RUGS AND CARPETS cleaned by the Hamilton Beach method. Electric Carpet Washing Co. Han. 611. J19tf

LOST—Bunch of keys. Please call Hanamo 425 or leave at Maryville Motor Co.. 18-28*

ENGINES for pumping water, pumps, pump jacks, pipe, tanks, etc. Holt Supply Co. 21-23

WANTED TO RENT—a modern furnished house for the next year. Inquire at this office. 21-23*

Sale Bill 70 Years Old

The following is a copy of a sale bill printed in Kentucky seventy years ago.

"Having sold my farm and intending to move to Missouri, I will sell at public sale, one mile west and four miles south of Harrisburg, Ky., on Saturday, September 26, 1850, the following described property to-wit:

"One buck nigger, 25-years old, weight 210 pounds; four nigger wenches, from 18 to 24 years old; three nigger boys 6 years old; 13 nigger hoes; one fine sled, six yokes of oxen, broke, and ten ox yokes with hickory bows; two good ox carts with six inch trees; one saddle, three double-shovel plows, ten and twelve inches; twenty-five one gallon whisky jugs, 100 gallon apple cider; one barrel good sorghum; eight barrels of sap, two barrels of kraut, one extra good nigger whip, two tons of tobacco, two years old, and other things. Sale will start at 10 sharp.

Terms—Cash. I need the money.

Colonel H. W. Johnson, auctioneer. Bill Crawford, clerk. Joe Cooley, owner.

Milly and Phyllis Milier of Elmo were visitors in Maryville Wednesday.

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, July 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,000.

HOS—Receipts, 22,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000.

St. Joseph, July 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 400; steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; top, $10.40; 10c higher.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Kansas City, July 22.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,400; steers, $7 to $9; cows, $5.50 to $8.25.

HOS—Receipts, 4,200; top, $10.40; bulk, $10 to $10.30; lights $10 to $10.40.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, per dozen	22c
Hens, per lb	20c
Springs, per lb	23c
Roasters, per lb	6c
Butterfat, per lb	31c

"DE DUCKS" GOT IT ALL, WAILS AN IOWA FARMER.

Dubuque, Iowa, July 22.—"De Ducks" got all the farmer's money that he had received when he sold his corn recently and in trying to explain to a local banker the necessity of a loan to time him over a lean period, the complexities of market problems as faced by the farmer now were succinctly drawn.

"But," said the banker, "I don't understand why you should want to borrow money when you have just shipped your corn. What did you do with the money?"

"De Ducks got it," replied the farmer.

"What do you mean by 'De Ducks'?"

"Well," explained the farmer, "I shipped the car to market and sold it for 52 cents. They 'de duck' freight that left 31 cents; 'de duck 1 cent commission, that left 30 cents; 'de duck' elevator charges, that left 27 cents; 'de duck' husking, that left 15 cents 'de duck' hauling, that left 5 cents; 'de duck' the hired man's wages from that and you are a darn sight better farmer than I am if you can find anything left."

CENTENNIAL HALF DOLLARS ON SALE IN MARYVILLE BANKS

A few Missouri Centennial half-dollars are for sale in all of the Maryville banks. The coins valued at 50c, also have a souvenir value and sell for $1.00. A number of coins have already been sold. The fifty cents made on the coin goes to a state fund to assist in paying the expenses of the Centennial Exposition and State Fair to be held at Sedalia, Mo., August 8-20.

22ND YEAR HERE

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ALSO—

Diseases of Women Treated.

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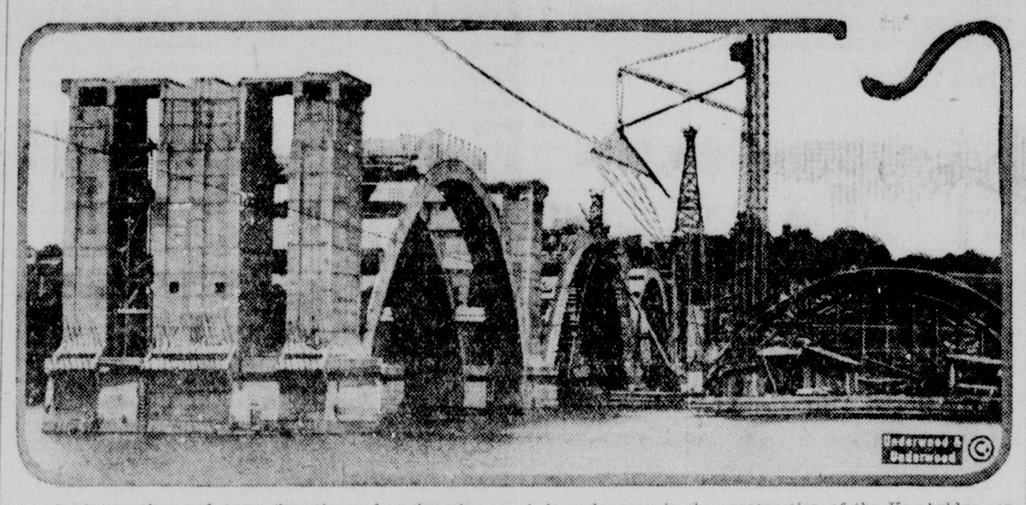

An interesting and expensive piece of engineering work is under way in the construction of the Key bridge connecting the District of Columbia with Virginia. It involves the removal of the huge steel span from under the concrete arch, the steel span forming the temporary platform. The operations are governed by the ebb and flow of the tide, a floating platform carrying away the span as the water recedes. The building of this huge bridge is one of the biggest construction projects in the country, and will be completed in about a year.

BONUS OF $10 A MONTH TO BE VOTED ON AUGUST 2

Missouri Is One of Three Middle Western States Without Legislation Rewarding Soldiers.

At the coming August election, to be held Tuesday, August 2, there will be four amendments to be voted on.

First—Shall there be a convention to revise and amend the state constitution.

Second—An amendment granting the right to women to hold any office in the state.

Third—That the interest on the $60,000,000 road bond issue be paid from the motor vehicle license fees.

Fourth—Provides for payment of bonus to ex-service men of the World War, not to exceed $10 per month of actual service.

The provision provides that every ex-service man, who enlisted from the state of Missouri in the recent war shall draw $10 a month not to exceed twenty-five months of service, and no man can draw more than $250. Each man must have served honorably in the military or naval forces in the United States of America at any time between April 6, 1917 and November 11, 1918. Those who refused to perform military service on conscientious, political or other grounds are not entitled to receive the adjusted compensation.

Only three out of the thirteen state in the Middle West have failed to pass a soldier's bonus legislation. Every state has passed a soldier's relief measure of some sort or other. North Dakota has voted $25.00 for every ex-service man or woman. The legislatures of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Kansas, Ohio and Illinois have passed bonus legislation. The states of Washington, Massachusetts, Minnesota and New York, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Rhode Island and New Jersey have either already paid a state bonus or are paying the same. Bonus referendum measures are still pending in the legislatures of West Virginia, Tennessee, Colorado and Nebraska.

Missouri has been very modest in her request for $10 per month, for many states are asking as much as $1.00 a day for time in service from muster in to muster out.

PICKERING.

(O. G. Null)

Curtis Maxon of Fort Worth, Tex., arrived here Tuesday for a visit with his father, F. S. Maxon. The trip was made in the Maxon car in five days and during that time several hours were lost when an accident occurred and part of one day by mud. Mr. Maxon was accompanied by his son, Howard, and daughter, Ruth, both of whom have lived here with their grandfather during the past few years.

Mrs. J. H. Nash of Sheridan, Mo., is visiting with friends and relatives here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Nash lived in the Mozingo Valley neighborhood before they moved to a farm near Sheridan, where Mr. Nash died last year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Chapman of Enid, Okla., arrived here Monday night in their car on their way to visit a brother, R. K. Chapman at Evergreen, Colo. They continued their journey on Wednesday taking with them, Mr. Chapman's parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Chapman. They have a complete camping outfit and expect to camp out during the entire trip. They expect to return in about four weeks.

The annual meeting of the Christian church at this place has been postponed from the first Sunday in August until the third Sunday of that month on account of the pastor, the Rev. W. A. Chapman being on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott and family drove to St. Joseph Thursday where they will visit Mrs. Scott's sister, Mrs. T. J. Reznor. From there they will go to Cameron, Mo., where they will visit the family of her brother, A. A. Wiley.

C. B. Leach of Washington, Louisiana visited his sister, Miss Belle Leach, on Wednesday. Mr. Leach and Mrs. Leach have been visiting their daughter Mrs. Fred Smith, in western Kansas, and Mr. Leach came to Pickering for a short visit before returning home.

Threshing is progressing rapidly in this vicinity and will probably be completed by August 1. Wheat is yielding from 16 to 25 bushels per acre and most of it tests from 59 to 60 pounds to the bushel. A few farmers are binning their wheat though the larger portion of it is being hauled to the elevator from the thresher.

H's Caused His Failure

W. B. Batten, of Brosley, Butler county, recently filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. Mr. Batten, who is a merchant at Brosley, represents himself according to Referee in Bankruptcy H. E. Alexander, at Cape Girardeau as a bit of flotsam tossed upon the shores of business depression by the turbient and swollen waters of politics following the great Republican avalanch of last fall. The bankrupt, according to Mr. Alexander, epetimized his nemess as follows: Harding, Hyde, Hass, H--l and Hard times—Missouri State Journal.

A Compliment.

We've just bid looking up id the dictiodary what it says about hay fever. It says—atchoo!—it says hay fever is a fuddy disease that hits odly the idtellectual—atchoo!—add very idtelligedt classes.

Buch obliged, Bister Webster—atchoo!

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Reedlinger of Conception Junction were in the city yesterday on business.

MARKET LETTER.

Kansas City Stock Yards, July 22.—Hog prices advanced today, making the highest mark since early this year. Today's advance was 15 to 25 cents. Top, $10.50, bulk $10 to $10.40. Cattle prices were uneven, only a few loads of fed cattle on sale which sold 15 to 25 higher than last week, common killing kinds sold lower. Yearlings sold up to $9.40. Stockers and feeders ruled strong to 25 higher. Sheep were steady.

Today's Receipts.

Receipts today were 13,000 cattle, 7,000 hogs and 4,500 sheep, compared with 8,669 cattle, 8,622 hogs and 8,860 sheep a week ago and 15,429 cattle, 6,907 hogs and 7,230 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle.

Receipts today, while not large, were more than were expected after the mean close last week, but less than a year ago. Very few fed cattle were on sale, which looks like the prophesy that fed cattle will be in demand is coming true. The market on fed cattle was stronger and 10 to 15 cents higher than last week. Yearlings sold up to $9.40. Grass fat and plain killing kinds predominated and sold weak to unevenly lower. Cows and heifers were about steady. Calves and bulls stronger.

Stockers and Feeders.

Demand for stockers and feeders was steady to 25 higher. Quite a number of eastern buyers were present, making inquiry and some purchases.

Hogs.

Hog prices advanced again 15 to 25 cents, making a top of $10.50 and all classes sold readily. Hogs weighing 260 lbs. sold up to $10.30 and medium and lights to $10.50. Pigs were higher, selling up to $10.00.

Sheep and Lambs.

Prices for sheep were steady with light receipts and no good fed lambs. Native lambs sold for $9.50 and Arizonas for $10.00. Fed Texas wethers $5.10 and the best ewes at $4.50.

Horse and mule receipts were light and sold at steady prices.

HOPKINS.

Secretary Pickens of the Chamber of Commerce of Maryville was in Hopkins Wednesday on business.

Walter Morehouse, east of town is in poor health.

The cremated remains of Samuel Allen of California arrived in Hopkins this week for burial.

Hopkins is looking forward to the Chautauqua which will be held the last of August.

Mrs. John Miller is visiting relatives at Bedford, Ia., this week.

E. A. Hanna attended the military funeral of Walter Bradley at Elmo, last Sunday and the funeral of Wm. Pence at Clearmont Monday afternoon.

Miss Nellie Miller is visiting her sisters in Council Bluffs, Iowa. She was accompanied by Miss Nellie Flowers.

Newest and Biggest of the Atlantic Liners

With a full passenger list of persons and "personages," the latest and biggest and most luxuriously-equipped addition to the fleet of the French line docked at New York recently. The photograph shows La Paris ending her maiden voyage at the pier. The vessel is of 33,700 tons, its four screws driven by oil-burning engines of 45,000 horse power.

MISSOURIANS LONG TO GET BACK HOME

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souri. He was making a rather convincing speech until he very earnestly assured the Missourians that California leads the Union in the production of nuts. He was somewhat perplexed at the hilarity that this argument aroused until it dawned upon him that the audience heartily agreed but had included religious nuts, political nuts, medical nuts, psychic nuts, healing nuts, inventive nuts and other nuts without number.

But returning to the subject of "hot air," California does not seem to enjoy a monopoly as Missouri has some record along that line herself. I note in the Democrat-Forum a few days ago that the thermometer in Maryville registered 71 degrees at night. As I read it I am lead to believe that to be the coolest temperature in a period of 24 hours. Out here in San Pedro that is about the highest temperature the thermometer records during the day luring this time of the year. So you see Missouri has a "hot air" record of her own.

About Missourians.

W. B. Pistole (Bert), formerly of Hopkins and later of St. Joseph is now a real Missouri Colonel. He is a judge-advocate in the U. S. army and was recently transferred from San Antonio to Honolulu. He has enlisted for sixteen years service and draws a salary of approximately $5,000 per year besides enjoying certain incidental emoluments. On his way to Honolulu, accompanied by Mrs. Pistole and son, he stopped off for a few days in Southern California and I enjoyed a few hours visit with him. Colonel Pistole is a little grayer but somewhat handsomer than in the days when he was known around Hopkins as one of the sturdy sons of the township who withstood and repelled the political temptations placed in his boyhood pathway by Deacon Moorhead and other Republican evangelists.

A few weeks ago I drove over to Fullerton and called upon my old friend and neighbor, formerly of near Wilcox, O. B. Evans. Ol is as sunny and as generous as ever and the only reason I did not consume everything in his shop was because he carries a large assortment of eats and drinks and my capacity is limited. He has a classy chocolate and candy shop and is prospering in his California home. If there ever was a better neighbor or an old friend who gives a more cordial greeting I have not met him in California.

I met Balk Wright again the other day and found that he hasn't been very seriously afflicted with the California bug but continues to have a few Iowa bugs remaining in his system. Balk very carefully explained to me that he does like to play Rook but that it is in no way related to livery stable poker, but is a respectable gentlemen's game very much like croquet. He is one of the Long Beach champions and enjoys the title.

Two well known teachers were attendants at the Missouri picnic, Jake Wood and Prof. Charles, formerly superintendent of Maryville schools. I have known Mr. Charles for some years as a real estate man but did not know that he was from Maryville until the picnic the other day.

Charlie Jones, formerly of Maryville, is the new chief of police of Los Angeles and Hank O'Howell of near Barnard is the handsomest officer on the force.

Walter Mendenhall, publisher of a newspaper at Van Nuys, was one of the Junctionites attending th picnic. Maggie Carter, Frank McMackin and Wm. Davis were also representatives from Burlington Junction.

George Shelton, who just returned from a visit with his mother and other relatives in Kansas City, also Mrs. Robert Shelton, formerly of Maryville were present. Mrs. Robert Shelton has married a Californian.

Mort Dearing and Alex Litts, formerly of Barnard, were swapping yarns with the boys. Alex declares he has voted the Democratic ticket oftener, is a better judge of Green River and Old Crow, can run faster and can grow longer whiskers than his brother, Ben, ever could. Since Ben was not present this declaration was not contradicted.

Arch Sayler is in the real estate business at Burbank. A. C. Wier is the brother-in-law of the biggest bank in Los Angeles and has charge of the real estate department. Dr. Joe Carter has among his patients Gloria Swanson, Mildred Harris Chaplin and other movie stars.

Babe Ford Reynolds, Ed Signs, C. A. Killion and wife of Parnell and Earl Shell of Wilcox were on the register from Nodaway county.

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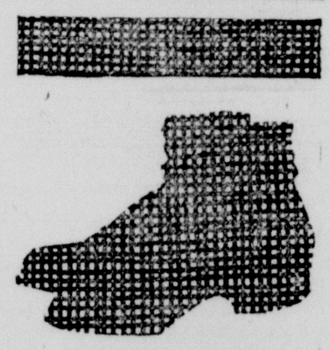

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